

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY IN ORIGINAL
APPLICATION

DOCKET NO.
CC-0274

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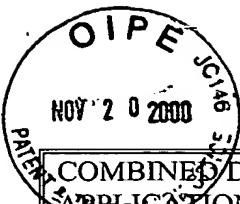
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